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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Box CPA WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231	Docket No. P06217US0/BAS First Named Inventor: ITANO Examiner: Winter Art Unit: 1746					
This is a request for a continuation application orX_ divisional application						
under 37 CFR 1.53(d), (Continued Prosecution Application (CPA)), of prior application:						
Serial No.: 09/214,708 Filed on: January 1, 1999 Entitled: CLEANING GAS	reviously filed on onprovisional application. used.					
Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application. X A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.						
This application is filed by fewer than all inventors named in the prior application,						
37 CFR 1.53(d)(4).						
DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional appln:						
A new power of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed. An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed.						
Small Entity Status: Applicant claims small entity status.						
X An Extension of Time is filed concurrently herewith for the prior application. Applicant requests suspension of action under 37 CFR 1.103(b) for a period of months (not to exceed 3 months) and the fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) is enclosed.						
X Return Receipt Postcard is attached. Other:						

FILING FEE: calculated below (after reduction for an amendment if noted above).

	NOW	Basic Number	Present Extra	Rate	<u>\$</u>
TOTAL CLAIMS	8	- 20	0	X \$ 18 =	
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	- 3	0	X \$ 84 =	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) + \$ 280 =					
X			BASIC FEE	\$ 740 =	740
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =					
Reduction by ½ for small entity status of applicant –					
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X Fee for extension of time in parent application + \$ =					290
Other fee for + \$ =					
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- A check in the amount of \$1,030.00 is enclosed. If no check or an insufficient check is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection herewith, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 12-0555.
- In the event that a petition for extension of time is required to be submitted in the pending prior application, and in the event that a separate petition for the pending prior application is not filed on even date, applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time in the pending prior application of as many months as are required to render this submission timely. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection with this communication to Deposit Account No. 120555.

Note: Please carry over the correspondence address from the prior application.

Date: 8 October 2002

By: B. Aaron Schulman Registration No.: 31,877

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